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> Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application

> > Appl. No. 10/024,597; Filed: December 21, 2001 **Fusion Proteins Incorporating Lysozyme**

Cottingham et al. Inventors:

Our Ref: 0623.0730002/LBB/BJD

Sir:

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- Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts; 3.
- Original Declaration, executed by the inventors (2 pages); 4.
- An original executed Power of Attorney from Assignee with Delegation; 5.
- Assignee 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement with copy of Assignment 6. attached;
- Supplemental Preliminary Amendment; 7.
- 8. Return postcard; and
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Respectfully submitted,

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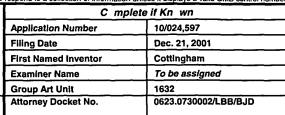
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$350.
 - \$126 for 14 total claims over 20.
 - \$84 for 2 independent claims over 3.
 - \$140 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
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- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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